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Dear Mr. Jones:

This is in reference to your referral of 16 December 1954 of a draft bill "To provide leave of absence for officers and employees stationed outside the United States. . . .

This Agency feels that this bill would be helpful in bringing uniformity to the leave situation of overseas employees of the Government, and has no objections to it in its present form. However, your attention is called to the special leave provisions contained in Sections5(a)(3)(A). (B), and (C) of the CIA Act of 1949, Public Law 119 - Sist Congress. As these provisions of the CIA Act of 1949 are to some extent in conflict with the provisions of the proposed bill to provide leave of absence for officers and employees stationed outside the United States, it is requested that this Agency have the authority to request the repeal of these specific sections in the CIA Act of 1949 at an appropriate time. If the proposed draft bill is amended to contain a repealer section, it is recommended that consideration be given to the repeal of the CIA statutory leave provisions in that section.

Sincerely years,

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